

APPENDIX "Q"

WILDLAND FIRE MANAGEMENT PLAN

Q-1. Wildland Fire Management Plan. During preparation of the operational management plan (OMP), a wildland fire management plan will be developed and included as an appendix to the OMP. The wildland fire management plan will outline in detail the specific operation and administration requirements for managing wildland fires.

Q-2. The District Commander may dictate specific formats and detailed guidance.

Q-3. Preparation.

a. The wildland fire management plan will address all aspects of wildland fire management, which includes wildfire control and prescribed and debris burning. The wildland fire management plan will be used as a tool for establishing specific wildland fire management strategies, such as training, prescribed burn plans, public education and involvement, and cooperative agreements and contracts.

b. A basic outline is to be used as follows:

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1. Introduction
 - a. General
 - b. Purpose
 - c. Authority
 2. Fire Protection
 - a. General
 - (1) Wildfire
 - (2) Prescribed Fire
 - (3) Wildland - should include a statement about the difference between wildfire and prescribed fire, which includes debris piles.
 - b. Objectives (e.g. reduce number of fires, keep number of acres burned to a minimum, reduce the economic loss, protect habitat for a specific threatened or endangered species)
 - c. Fire Seasons (times of year)
 - d. Access (roads, bridges, seasonal crossings, etc.)
 - e. Available Resources (water)
 3. Prevention
 - a. General
 - b. Prevention Activities/Programs (public education, hazard reduction activities, etc.)

4. Preparedness
 - a. Training/Safety Plans
 - (1) Basic
 - (2) Advanced
 - (3) Annual Refresher
 - (4) Physical Fitness
 - (5) Certification (for individuals identified as the fire personnel for the project)
 - b. Maintenance of Equipment
 - c. Tool Cache
 - d. Agreements (cooperative, contracts, etc.)
 - e. Fuels Management
 5. Suppression
 - a. General
 - b. Jurisdictions/Incident Command
 - c. Suppression Operations
 - (1) Initial Attack Plan
 - (a) Command Structure
 - (b) Communication Plan
 - (2) Extended Attack Plan
 6. Record Keeping/Reporting Requirements
 7. Coordination
 - a. State
 - b. Local
 - c. Other Federal Government Entities
 8. Approval
 - a. U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
 - b. State (If Applicable By Law)
 - c. Local (If Applicable By Law)
 - d. Other Federal Government Entities (If Applicable)
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